

**BEFORE THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION
OF THE STATE OF COLORADO**

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IN THE MATTER OF ADVICE NO.)	
1881-ELECTRIC OF PUBLIC SERVICE)	
COMPANY OF COLORADO FOR)	
APPROVAL OF A RESILIENCY)	PROCEEDING NO. 22AL-____E
SERVICE PROGRAM TARIFF IN ITS)	
COLORADO PUC NO. 8 – ELECTRIC)	
TARIFF EFFECTIVE APRIL 24, 2022)	

**MOTION OF PUBLIC SERVICE COMPANY OF COLORADO
FOR COMMISSION APPROVAL OF AN ALTERNATIVE FORM OF NOTICE**

Public Service Company of Colorado (“Public Service” or the “Company”), through its undersigned counsel and pursuant to Colo. Rev. Stat. § 40-3-104(1)(c)(I)(E) and Rule 1207(b), 4 *Code of Colorado Regulations* (“CCR”) 723-1, hereby requests that the Colorado Public Utilities Commission (“Commission”) approve alternative forms of notice that will apply to Public Service's Advice Letter and tariff filing to implement its Resiliency Service Program Tariff proposed to be effective April 24, 2022. In support of this Motion, Public Service states as follows:

1. Contemporaneously filed with this Motion, the Company filed Advice No. 1881-Electric, proposing to implement its Resiliency Service Program Tariff to be effective April 24, 2022.
2. Specifically, by this Motion, Public Service is seeking Commission approval to use the following alternative forms of notice:

- a. Posting the legal notice on the Company's public website¹ and keeping the filing open for public inspection pursuant to §40-3-104(1)(c)(I), C.R.S.; and
- b. Publishing a legal notice, in the form attached hereto as Attachment A, in The Denver Post, once during the first twenty days of the thirty-day period prior to the effective date of the proposed tariff revisions, consistent with §40-3-104(1)(c)(I)(A), C.R.S.

3. The Company seeks approval of these alternative forms of notice in order to avoid incurring the expense that is entailed in the other forms of statutory notice. In the event the Commission determines that additional notice is required, the Company will proceed to provide additional notice consistent with the Commission's order.

4. In order to avoid inundating customers with e-mail and text notifications for all filings and the potential confusion that may result, it is the Company's policy to reserve e-mails for significant filings, such as rate case filings. The Company is concerned that sending frequent e-mails or texts to customers for noticing or regulatory messages will drive customers to unsubscribe or opt out of receiving e-mails or texts. The Company notes that text messaging is primarily used for outage and restoration information and not for noticing purposes. In lieu of sending e-mail and text notifications of the proposed changes, the Company is providing the alternative forms of notice listed above.

5. The Company believes that good cause exists for the alternative form of notice requested by this Motion and the proposed alternative notice is sufficient to alert interested

¹ https://www.xcelenergy.com/company/rates_and_regulations/filings

parties of the changes that the Company is proposing by this Advice Letter in a timely fashion. As such, there is good cause for the alternative form of notice requested by this Motion.

WHEREFORE, Public Service Company of Colorado respectfully requests that the Commission approve the alternative forms of notice set forth in this Motion, pursuant to §40-3-104(1)(c)(I)(E), C.R.S., and Rule 1207(b).

Dated this 24th day of March 2022.

Respectfully Submitted,

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